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A 12-YEAR-OLD GIRL'S SUICIDE.

SHE WENT OUT WITHOUT PERMISSION, AND SHOT HERSELF RATHER THAN RETURN.

MILWAUKEE, Aug 21.—An inquest was held at a late hour this afternoon on the body of Mamie Taft, 12 years of age, who deliberately committed suicide by shooting herself in the head. The father of the girl was formerly Secretary of the Milwaukee Board of Trade. He now lives on a farm in the northern suburbs. According to his statement he retired at about 8½ last evening, and half an hour later was awakened by his wife, as she was about to retire, who told him that Mamie had gone out. He supposed she had gone to the house of a neighbor on the opposite side of the road, and sent his daughter, Kate, after her. Kate went, and reported that Mamie was not there, but said that she had seen some one lying in the field a short distance from the long drive through her father's premises. Mr. Taft told her to go and see if it was not Mamie. When Kate returned she said:

"I saw her white skirt and jersey, and knew that it was Mamie; but she did not answer me when I called, and I put my hand on her, and said: "Come home, Mamie; pa will say nothing for you going out." A moment later Mamie fired a shot. I thought it went by my head, and for some moments I did not know where I was."

"I was in the house waiting for Mamie," said Mr. Taft, "when I heard two shots fired, they being fully ten seconds apart. I heard Kate scream, and supposing the shots had been fired by some tramps on the premises, I partly dressed myself, and went to the drawer for my revolver. I was greatly surprised to find that it was gone from the bureau Hurrying down the roadway to where Kate was I saw Mamie lying on the ground. Lifting her up in my arms I heard her groan, and on reaching the house with her sent a messenger for a doctor, but she died within a few moments after I had brought her in."

The ball had entered just above the right cheek bone, making an ugly wound. It came out through the top of her head on the left side. The theory that the little girl shot herself deliberately is strengthened by the fact that she loaded the revolver herself, her father being confident that the revolver had been left empty, and that the only two cartridges which were in the house were in another drawer from that in which the revolver was. A verdict in accordance with the facts was returned.

A Complete Breakdown.

"For ten years," says Jennie M. Harrett, of Wallaceburg, Ont, "I did not see a well day—was all broken down with dyspepsia, liver complaint, catarrh and debility. Three doctors abandoned hope for me, when Burdock Blood Bitters came to my rescue. It is the best medicine I have ever taken. I say this for the benefit of all suffering as I did.

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OUR ENGLISH LETTER.

The Imperial Federation Question.

General Boulanger's Bad Spelling and Worse Grammar.

Burmese War—The War Office Scared—Christianity and China.

(From our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, Aug. 14th —Public opinion is running very strong in favor of Imperial Federation On Wednesday Lord Salisbury, who was accompanied by Mr. E Stanhope, Lord Dunraven, and Sir Robert G. Herbert, K.C.B., received a most influential deputation on the subject at the Colonial Office. The speakers were the Hon. James Service, the late Premier of Victoria; Sir Thomas Brassey, who introduced the deputation; Sir Peter Redpath, who represented Canada; the Hon. P. L. Vanderbyl, member of the Legislative Assembly, Cape of Good Hope, and Capt. Colcomb, M P. The Prime Minister promised the deputation that their arguments should be carefully considered by the cabinet, and Sir Thomas Brassey thanked him for the

SYMPATHETIC WORDS

he had used. Mr. Frederick Young, who has just resigned the honorary secretaryship of the Royal Colonial Institute, on being elected a vice-president in succession to the late Mr. W. E. Forster, has been one of the most fervid apostles in this country of Imperial Federation. During his twelve years of office as honorary secretary to the institute he has been most unwearying in his labors, to strengthen the bonds which unite the colonies to the mother country and to each other. The institute has worked wonders in educating opinion, both at home and in the colonies, on this question; and I believe it is not too much to say that no single man has done more than Mr. Frederick Young to bring out the national feeling in favor of imperial unity. It is not generally remembered that Mr Young's father—the late Mr. George Frederick Young, M.P., successively for Tynemouth and Scarborough—was associated with Mr. Edward Gibbon Wakefield and other patriots in founding the colony of New Zealand. They had reason to believe that the French contemplated the annexation of the islands; and, as they could not get the Colonial Office to move, they subscribed £2,000 a piece, chartered a vessel, and directed the captain to proceed to New Zealand and

HOIST THE BRITISH FLAG

as soon as possible. This was done, and the British flag was hoisted forty-eight hours only before a French expedition arrived with a similiar object. But for this action by Mr. Wakefield, Mr. Young, and their coadjutors, New Zealand would now have been a French possession. Mr. Frederick Young has evidently inherited some of his "colonial" enthusiasm from his father. I understand that Mr. Rylands intends to press next year for the appointment of a select committee to enquire into our national expenditure. He is hopeful that the government will accede to his motion; and he is confident that if the departments are thoroughly overhauled the estimates may be very materially reduced without injustice to those officials who may be fairly described as the "working bees" of the public service.

The pope has appointed Monsignor Agliardi to represent the Holy See at the court of Pekin. This has been done in spite of remonstrances from the French government. Not many people are aware that Christianity is

OLDER IN CHINA

than in many parts of Europe. Whereas there were genuine pagans in what is now the kingdom of Prussia down almost to the eve of the reformation, Christianity was being taught and believed in China in the seventh century The translation of the Bible then made is still in existence and in use. The ancient Christianity of China was not dead out when the Jesuit fathers, with a heroism and devotion that throws into the shade the greatest exploits of modern travelers and missionaries, began their labors in the sixteenth century. The enemies of

GENERAL BOULANGER,

having given him the lie by publishing photographs of his adulatory letters to the Duc d'Aumale, now point out that the said letters contain mis spellings, bad grammar and gross barbarisms in point of style. They affect to deplore this as a discredit to the army and government of France. But General Boulanger may be a distinguished soldier and a great statesman, and at the same time a bad speller and writer of bad grammar. Our own admiral Sir Charles Napier was a notorious blunderer when he sat down to write; and it is characteristic of the whole Napier family, not excepting Sir William, the historian, that they were bad spellers as they were great men. The Duke of Wellington had much natural eloquences in him; but the orthography of his despatches was often at fault. Then where is the man who is acknowledged to be by far the greatest living statesman—Prince Bismarck. He not only failed to pass his examinations as a young man, but, to this day, he cannot write half-a-dozen sentences on end (German sentences are not short) without one or more grammatical errors. There have not been seen in modern times, many fighting men who could write with the elegance and refinement of the celebrated Northumbrian, Admiral Collingwood. There were many such in ancient times; and, notably, there was Julius Cæsar, the greatest of all the great fighting men, who actually wrote a grammar.

A new kind of glassware has just been perfected in America, and Her Majesty is next week to be presented with the first service of it ever in this country. Like so many other

NOVELTIES IN CERAMIC ART,

its invention was due to accident. An Indian was talking to the head of the American firm about the introduction of yellow glass, which is so favorite a color with the Burmese. It was decided to adopt the hint. Uranic oxide and gold were added to the alumina and other ingredients of the paste, and a fine yellow was produced. It was discovered accidentally that this yellow body, if it was suddenly chilled off and then re-heated, acquired a lovely salmon tint, which died away in the canary yellow according as chill and fire were applied. Once the salmon tint was got, no subsequent visit to the furnace altered the color. This was important, as the surface might be worked upon safely for after artistic decoration. The service prepared for Her Majesty consists of coffee cups and saucers, the centres a pale yellow, and the color passing by imperceptible gradations into a full salmon at the borders, the whole surface covered with raised enamel flowers. The ware is called after the Indian suggester of the tint—Burmese ware.

In the January of 1885

INSPECTOR SIMMONDS

was murdered at Romford under particularly mysterious circumstances. Rewards, amounting to £250, were offered for the apprehension of the murderer. These rewards, after the capture of the criminal, were in due course assigned to certain applicants. However, an action has just been tried in the Queen's bench division in which a person of the name of Baxter sued Kemble and others, the original recipients of the rewards, claiming to recover the money which the latter had had apportioned to them. Baxter, it appears, was a pawnbroker's assistant in the service of Mr. Lawley, of Seymour street, London. Having been shown a photograph by the detectives, the plaintiff identified the murderer Menson, or Lee, and detained him in the shop until the police arrived. A verdict in Baxter's favor for the full amount was returned by the jury, and judgment was given accordingly by Mr. Justice Denman who refused to stay execution.

A good deal has been said of late about contracts for articles of home manufacture made by our government with contractors outside the United Kingdom. It is just as well that

THE PUBLIC SHOULD KNOW

that the War Office has been the chief sinner. It has brought in vast quantities of gunpowder, compressed meat, silk braid and cloth, quick-firing guns, swords and scabbards, a pavilion moss litter, pipes, hose, and canvas, tents and fittings. This enumeration of articles bought abroad which could have been bought at home adds point to the fact that in seven years of bad trade £1,180,170 was needlessly spent abroad by our admiralty and the War Office.

To the Rescue.

"When all other remedies fail," for Bowel Complaint, Colic, Cramps, Dysentery, &c., "then Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry comes to the rescue." Thus writes W. H. Crocker, Druggist, Waterdown, and adds that "its sales are large and increasing. tu-th-sat dw

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MOODYVILLE AND HASTINGS, Wednesday and Friday, at 2 o'clock.
PORT MOODY TO VICTORIA, Daily, except Monday, at 12:30 o'clock.
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NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE.
LEAVE VICTORIA—
FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, LADNER'S LANDING AND LULU ISLAND, Monday at 2 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.
PLUMPER PASS, Friday, at 7 o'clock.
PORT HAMMOND, Monday at 2 o'clock, Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE PORT HAMMOND FOR VICTORIA, Monday at 15 o'clock, Friday at 19 o'clk
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER FOR VICTORIA, Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday, at 7 o'clk
FOR PLUMPER PASS, Tuesday, at 7 o'clock.

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FOR HOPE, CHILLIWHACK, SUMAS & WAY LANDINGS, Tuesday and Saturday, at 7 o'clock.
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LEAVE CHILLIWHACK at 8 o'clock.

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HAMMERLESS AND WITH HAMMERS,
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WILL RESUME HIS CLASSES ON TUESDAY, Aug. 3rd. Vacant evenings for private pupils.
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All Colonists passing through Liverpool are cordially invited to make use of the rooms of the branch for correspondence and other purposes.
The publications of the League may be seen there and all Colonial papers received are filed for reference.
The Committee will be glad of communications upon all matters of Colonial interest. Information will be gladly offered by the Hon. Secretary respecting Colonial Exhibition of 1886; the doings of the National Association for promoting State Directed Emigration and Colonization; the Movement for Improvement of Local Defence, and upon other matters of Colonial interest. jy15dwtf

TENDERS.

NOTICE TO WHARF BUILDERS.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNdersigned up to noon, MONDAY, 6th September, for the removal of old, and the construction of NEW WHARF, SHED, CRIBBING, &c., on Messrs. Anderson & Co.'s property, south of Janion's wharf, fronting Victoria harbor.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
se1 JOHN TEAGUE, Architect.

TENDERS FOR A LICENSE TO CUT TIMBER ON DOMINION LANDS IN THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned and marked "Tender of a Timber Berth," will be received at this office until noon on Monday, the 1st day of November next, for four timber berths of ten square miles each, more or less, numbered respectively 4, 5, 8 and 9, situated on Kicking Horse River, and Otter Tail Creek, a tributary of Kicking Horse River, near Field and Otter Tail stations, on the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in the Province of British Columbia.
Sketches showing the position, approximately, of these berths, together with the conditions on which they will be licensed, may be obtained at this Department, or at the Crown Timber Offices, Winnipeg, Calgary, N. W. T., and New Westminster, British Columbia.
A. M. BURGESS,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, 14th August, 1886. au25 10t

TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.
SEALED TENDERS, PROPERLY ENDORSED, will be received by the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of
Friday, 10th September,
For the erection of a
TWO-STORY FRAME SCHOOL HOUSE AT VANCOUVER.
Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of R. H. Alexander, Esq., Vancouver, or at the office of the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
W. S. GORE,
Surveyor General
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 27th Aug., 1886. au28dw
(Vancouver Herald copy.)

ESQUIMALT WATER WORKS CO.
THE DIRECTORS ARE PREPARED TO RECeive tenders for the supply of about one thousand tons CAST IRON SOCKET PIPES and other castings.
Copies of specification and forms of tender can be obtained on application at the Company's office, Wharf street, Victoria, B.C. Sealed Tenders, which must be on the prescribed forms only, will be received at the Company's office up to 12 o'clock at NOON on the FIFTH DAY OF OCTOBER next.
The directors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or other tender.
T. LUBBE, Secretary.
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 16th, 1886. au17

NICOLA LAKE HOUSE,
QUILCHENA, B. C.
THIS HOUSE IS LOCATED IN THE CENTRE of Nicola Valley, about sixty miles from Spence's Bridge.
IT HAS LATELY BEEN ENLARGED AND IMPROVED,
And is now prepared to accommodate its friends and the public generally equal to any house in the Upper Country.
THE BAR IS ALWAYS SUPPLIED WITH THE CHOICEST BRANDS OF LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
au28dw3m E. O'ROURKE, Proprietor.

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WHARF STREET.
HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR FURS AND DEER SKINS.
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MESSRS. CROFT & ANGUS,
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Having made arrangements with an
EXPERIENCED SHIP AND BOAT BUILDER LATELY ARRIVED FROM ENGLAND,
Are now prepared to
FURNISH DESIGNS & ESTIMATES
FOR ALL KINDS OF CRAFT.
BOATS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ON HAND A MADE TO ORDER,
y21 1m

NOTICE
British Columbia Directory.
WE INTEND TO PUBLISH A NEW DIRECTory of British Columbia, and will shortly call or send authorized agents to canvass for subscriptions and names.
E. MALLANDAINE
au17 1w R. T. WILLIAMS.

Daily Colonist

SATURDAY MORNING, SEPT. 4TH, 1886.

COASTING REGULATIONS.

The Customs Department at Ottawa has issued a circular to the customs houses of the Dominion stating that evidence in the possession of the department goes to show that great laxity exists on the part of collectors and other customs officers in connection with the traffic going on in small open boats and fishing vessels between Canada and foreign ports. No goods, wares, or merchandise can be imported from any port or place out of Canada on any vessel which has not been duly registered and has not a certificate of registry on board. Only British registered vessels and boats wholly owned by British subjects and such other boats and vessels as may be owned by the subjects of countries included in any treaty of Great Britain by which the coasting trade is mutually conceded, shall be allowed to conduct such coasting trade. As there is no reciprocal coasting trade existing between Great Britain and the United States, United States vessels cannot be allowed to, in any manner, participate in such trade. Coasters are not permitted to go on a foreign voyage without reporting in the same manner as may be required from all vessels not coasters. Foreign vessels or boats must not be allowed to go from place to place in Canadian waters for the purpose of making up or seeking a cargo, as such a course would be in violation of the existing regulations. The collector of a port may assign to such vessels a landing berth at any one place within the limits of his jurisdiction, but must not allow a vessel to go from place to place in order to fill up or take in her cargo. No permits are to be given in any circumstances by customs officers under cover of which any law or regulation can be evaded. Stringent means must be taken to confine all small or unregistered vessels within the strict limits allowed by law or regulations. Vessels or boats of any kind or class although of Canadian build or owned by Canadians which have been entered as personal property or otherwise and on which duty has been paid in any foreign port, must be considered as strictly foreign boats and excluded from any rights that may attach to them had they not been so entered, as such entry changes their nationality, as much so as if they had been formally registered. The circular considers that in order to ensure the better protection of the revenue it is absolutely necessary that these instructions receive the closest attention from all customs officers, and that the same observance of them be required by all vessels irrespective of their nationality. The required strict enforcement of these orders, is due to the strained relations at present existing between Canada and the United States upon fishery and other coasting matters. One effect of the rigid observance of these instructions will be that if an American coasting sailing vessel or steamer enters any of our ports she will have to discharge at one berth only, and will be no more allowed to move from one wharf to another than she would be permitted to clear from one British port for another. Intimately connected with coasting regulations are the towing interests of British Columbia. The policy of only one among the American shipping ports on the Sound being a port of entry prevent British tugs from towing vessels to or from any except that one port—Port Townsend. With this province it is different, the many ports of entry offering such facilities to American tugs that they can and do pick up British vessels in the straits and tow them wherever required—it may be Victoria, Nanaimo, New Westminster, Coal Harbor, and Port Moody—and if no customs officer happens to be at that place, it is very easy (it has been done already) for an officer belonging to another port to be sent for to clear the tug. Take a case in point: An American tug steams almost into the Royal roads to pick up a British vessel lying there. The ship weighs anchor and goes through the form of sailing about a mile out where she is taken in tow and conveyed to the Inlet. Here may be another vessel just loaded—a bargain is struck, and away goes the tug in full work. After having completed the tow, the tug has only to enter at San Juan and clear for Victoria from which port she can again take charge of another vessel bound across the Sound. And so they go on, playing ducks and drakes with the tugs of British Columbia. While so much is being done for the coasting and fishing vessels, it is not asking too much that some special action be taken to guard the unprotected towing interests of this province.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC AND ITS RIVALS.

The Canadian Pacific is stirring up the other transcontinental roads in a way not altogether to their taste. It promises to give them no peace in its competition for through traffic, and although it has not opened fire on the passenger agents at San Francisco as yet, it is making things warm for the freight men. The San Francisco Chronicle avers that a leading firm of commission men in that city had secured a rate of 55 cents a hundred on canned goods from this city to Chicago over the Canadian Pacific line and its connections. The regular tariff rate now in force on the other lines is 90 cents a hundred. It is stated that in many other lines of shipment the tariff upheld by the transcontinental pool roads has been cut by the Canadian Pacific from 30 to 50 per cent. "The Canadian people are coming after us with a vengeance," remarked one traffic man yesterday, "and it really looks serious for the American roads. What is worse, there is no prospect of the ultimate victory of our roads. To buy off Van Horne's company would require an annual subsidy of $1,000,000. That is what it has cost to keep the Pacific Mail out of the field, and the Canadian Pacific have a very high opinion of their road and the place which it fills up in the field of transportation. Compared with other lines running across the country, the Canadian Pacific is almost free from debt, and it can therefore be operated on a closer margin than the American lines, which means low rates and fierce competition. I understand that Elijah Smith, president of the Oregon Railway and Navigation company, thinks that his company will probably lose business from Puget Sound points, but that it can afford to let it all go to its competitor without feeling the loss very much, as the traffic at present is small. What do I think about the proposed supremacy of the Canadian Pacific in the tea-shipping trade? I doubt very much if the Canadian people will be able to secure and maintain the traffic in that line. The Pacific Mail and the Northern Pacific are keen competitors and they have already run the rates from Yokohama to New York down to the lowest figure at which there is any money in the business. I don't think the new transcontinental road can do much better for tea shippers in the way of low rates. The talk that the Pacific Mail will run fewer steamers to this port in consequence of Canadian Pacific competition is all nonsense. I very much doubt if the Canadian line will be able to enter into successful competition in the English tea trade with the Suez canal route, although I understand that it intends to make an effort to secure this traffic."

SUMAS DYKING LANDS.

Settlers who Cannot Get Titles, and Whose Lands are Still Undrained.

Particulars of the Case.

To the Editor:—The settlers of this valley have been much pleased to read your article on the "Sumas Dyke" matter in your issue of the 25th inst., and hope that you will continue to lend us your valuable assistance in our efforts for the redress of our grievances.

Now that the Dominion government is about to administer the lands of the railway belt we feel it to be a great hardship that our locality should be the only exception, and that, whilst all our neighbors can secure titles, we are held in a vice, as it were, on account of the pretended legal existence of the "Sumas Dyking Act." I say *pretended* legal existence, for I am satisfied that a proper representation of this matter before the courts would result in the exposure of the hollowness of the claims, both in law and in justice, which certain parties are setting up to the 45,000 acres of the lands of this municipality, reserved by the provisions of said act for dyking purposes. Many of your readers are aware of the circumstances connected with this scheme.

In 1878 the act was passed giving to E. L. Derby, and assigns the right to construct a dyke or series of dykes along the bank of the Fraser river to dam out the river, at times of high water, from the Matsqui prairie, situated some twenty miles below this; and also from the Sumas prairie, six miles below this, and also from the lands of Chilliwhack. As to Matsqui and Sumas, they are low lying lands of the choicest kind, liable to overflow at ordinary high water; and were it practicable to protect them by a dyke, "it were a consummation devoutly to be wished." As to the lands of Chilliwhack, they are differently situated, having a natural drainage, at all seasons of ordinary high water, into the Fraser, requiring only the clearing out and deepening of the water courses which are the natural outlets of drainage for the large mountain watershed lying to the south and east of the valley, and which could be easily effected at a very small expense.

It is quite evident that it was never intended by the projectors of this enterprise to construct dykes in front of Chilliwhack; but as this locality contained the largest body of available lands for their purposes, they floated their scheme over them so as to include the best lands of the place, in effect, holding these lands subsidiary to the reclamation of the lands of Sumas and Matsqui. These lands have all been settled upon by an enterprising and thrifty people, who have proceeded to reclaim them and to drain the wet and overflowed lands, (occasioned by the mountain watershed above referred to), little thinking that this bogus dyking scheme would ever be revived, to interfere with their rights in acquiring title.

The public are familiar with the history of the case. Derby commenced operations at Matsqui, doing enough work to prove the impracticability of the substratum underlying the river banks, which would allow the water to seep in and be on the same level inside as outside the embankment; so he abandoned the work and left the country, assigning his rights in the franchise to the parties who "put up" the funds and who by legal quibbles and legislative manipulation have been able, for so long a time to keep the matter alive and prevent the rescinding of the franchise, which in all justice to the settlers, should have been done long ago, and which must be done at the next session of the legislature.

I assure you, Sir, that the settlers have woke up in earnest in this matter and will be trifled with no longer. They want this Sumas dyking act rescinded, for failure on the part of Derby and his assigns for eight years to carry out the contract. So far as Chilliwhack is concerned, we want no dyking scheme. If the people of Sumas and Matsqui want to be dyked and the scheme is still deemed practicable, then let it be done under new and more favorable auspices, so as to free the land of Chilliwhack from any connection therewith. Let these lands be thrown open for entry, or let the Dominion government have them according to the terms of the Settlement bill, to be dealt with as that government deals with the rest of the railway belt (we will be satisfied either way); and let the gentlemen of the defunct Derby dyking, ditching and dam(a)ing company, if they have any just claims in the premises, go to the courts and establish them, and let the toil-worn settlers go on their way rejoicing.

I trust, Sir, you will continue to work in unison with us for the accomplishment of our purposes in this regard; for it is not only a matter of personal interest to the individual settler,—it is a matter of great public interest also.

A. Davison.

Fighting Crickets in China.

Victoria, B. C., 2nd Sept., 1886.

To the Editor: I noticed in yesterday's issue of the Standard the startling statement that certain Celestials from the Golden Hill (San Francisco) had trained cockroaches for fighting. With due deference, I would ask to be permitted to doubt this. *Crickets* are, I presume, meant. In China a good fighting cricket is sold for ten taels (£3 6s. 8d.) It often occurs that a gambler becomes infatuated, forms such a high opinion of his pet, that he backs him so largely, that in case of defeat he finds himself stript of houses, land, cash and inferior wives. Sometimes £6 to £10,000 are gained or lost in one of these encounters. The passion is not confined to the higher class, but is as dominant in the labouring lad, or schoolboy as in his superiors.

C. F. Moore.

Correction.

Victoria, Sept. 3rd.

To the Editor: My letter, written and published yesterday, is made to say (28th line from the bottom) "every dollar." It should have read, "every settler will be worth twenty dollars per annum to the federal revenue."

At 13th line, also from the bottom: This railway "will ultimately pay the inhabitants," say "will ultimately pay *the railway* and the inhabitants of Canada."

J. S. H.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

CABLE NEWS.

BULGARIA.

London, Sept. 3.—The Daily Telegraph this morning, commenting on the Bulgarian revolution says Russia has already spent $18,000,000 francs in Bulgaria. Just before the revolution the Russian consul at Sofia withdrew 70,000 pounds in Turkish money from a well-known eastern bank, ostensibly to endow religious communities which nobody was aware were in pecuniary straits.

ENGLAND.

London, Sept. 3.—The Daily News says that Lord Randolph Churchill has achieved his maiden success as a leader owing to his concilliatory tone toward the Parnellites.

UNITED STATES.

THE EARTHQUAKE

Still Committing its Ravages in the East and Moving Westward.

Sad Accident in Pennsylvania, by which Seven Men are Roasted Alive.

Merced, Cal., Sept. 3.—A slight earthquake was felt here about 9 o'clock last night.

Reno, Nev., Sept. 3.—At 9:50 this morning a slight shock of earthquake was felt passing south to north. A second shock was felt twenty seconds later, but was hardly perceptible.

Germantown, Cal., Sept. 3.—Two heavy earthquakes, following each other in rapid succession, visited this section at a few minutes before twelve o'clock last night. The vibrations lasted several seconds, and were very heavy.

New York, Sept. 3.—The business failures during the last seven days are 190 as compared with 201 the preceding week.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 3.—The following dispatch was received by cable to-day from Queen Victoria: Balmoral, Sept. 3rd, 1886. "To President of the United States:—I desire to express my profound sympathy with the sufferers by the late earthquakes, and await with anxiety full intelligence, which I hope may show the effect to have been less disastrous than at first reported.

Victoria."

At about 11 o'clock to-night another shock of earthquake was felt along the Atlantic coast. It was not attended by any damage, so far as could be learned, but it was strong enough to cause a stampede from their instruments to be made by telegraph operators in Charleston, Augusta, Columbia, and perhaps in other places. The shock was felt from Jacksonville to Washington.

New York, Sept. 3.—Word was just received here of another severe shock of earthquake at Charleston. All the wires are down.

Charleston, Sept. 3.—At one minute to eleven o'clock to-night another terrific shock of earthquake passed over the city. Consternation prevailed among the people camping in the public squares, who are singing and praying.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept 3.—At 11:01 to-night a well developed shock of earthquake was felt, preceded by a light rumbling noise.

Augusta, Me., Sept. 3.—At 10:40 p. m. another shock was distinctly felt. The streets are again filled with people.

Wilmington, Cal., Sept. 3.—Another distinct, but not severe, shock was felt here at 11 p. m. Much excitement was created.

Williamsport, Pa., Sept. 3.—Word has been received of a sickening calamity which occurred about midnight last night, five and a half miles above Soneestown on the line of the Williamsport and North branch railway, where a large number of Hungarian laborers were employed on an extension road. A shanty in which over 20 of these people were lodged caught fire last night from the overturning of a stove while the men were asleep. Sixteen of the men slept on the second floor. Those on the first floor, and all on the second floor but seven succeeded in getting out. The others were left to their fate and were roasted alive; and their charred remains were afterwards found in the ruins. The men who escaped were so horror-stricken that they made no efforts to save their companions. The remains of the seven dead were recovered.

Grass Valley, Cal., Sept. 3.—Quite a lively shock of earthquake was felt here at 12 o'clock last night.

Charleston, Sept. 3.—On Marion Square the sights and scenes baffle description. The colored people were unrestrained and committed all manner of riotous and frenzied excesses. The report of the scenes which took place would perhaps be considered blasphemous. The first object, and the one that arrested everybody's attention was an assemblage of colored boys, about half a dozen in number, who had fallen to the ground in a paroxysm of religious frenzy. They were grovelling with their faces down in the grass and were singing hymns. The hymn was "Angels are Rapping at the door," and the refrain sung was "Oh tell Noah to bill on de Ark, bill on de Ark, bill on de Ark."

A sharp shock of earthquake was felt near 11 o'clock last night. Two buildings fell. A white woman was killed by a falling wall this evening.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

DENMARK.

AN UPRISING THREATENED.

New York, Sept. 1.—The Herald's Copenhagen special says: The trouble between the Danish government and the Danish house of representatives has aroused the most bitter feeling throughout the country. Leading politicians say that unless Estrup, Danish conservative premier, resigns, a national uprising is likely to take place, the eventful result of which would be the downfall not only of the ministry but of King Christian, who has become personally identified with the anti-constitutional measures of the Estrup ministry.

FRANCE.

EXPULSION OF AN ENGLISH CLERGYMAN.

Paris, Sept. 1.—Waddington, French ambassador to England, is here. He had a conference with De Freycinet in regard to the expulsion of Rev. Drought, an English clergyman, on the alleged ground of offensive advocacy of the cause of the exiled French princes. La France maintains that the government merely executed the law in ordering Drought out of France, and that he deserved expulsion.

DEFEAT OF SEXTON'S AMENDMENT.

Alexander Abandoned and Isolated.

Conflict Between American and Mexican Troops

During which Geronimo Escapes.

ENGLAND.

London, Sept. 3.—The Daily News says Prince Alexander has been abandoned and isolated by agreement of the three emperors. Nothing could exceed the humility of his letter to the czar, which is only equalled in a degree by the brutality of the czar's answer.

The Standard says Alexander has committed a serious blunder, and the only unworthy act with which he could be reproached. It is in carrying the comedy of the court by dissimulation too far to pretend that the czar did not approve of deposition. England has done her best to promote peace in the Balkans. If she fails, Austria and Germany will either suffer a grave injury or make heavy sacrifices. They may yet rue the day they abandoned Alexander to curry favor with the czar. Alexander has promised King Milan to send a diplomatic agent to Vienna.

BULGARIA.

London, Sept. 3.—An attempt was made to wreck a train carrying Prince Alexander to Sofia when near Phillippopolis. The engineer discovered the obstruction on the track and brought the train to a standstill. On investigation it was found that five old sleepers had been placed on the track.

Sofia, Sept. 3.—The revolutionary regiments here have surrendered unconditionally to Alexander and appealed to him for clemency. Bulgaria is now tranquil. Alexander, when he reached Bucharest on his journey to Sofia, telegraphed to the Sultan assurances of homage and devotion.

ITALY.

London, Sept. 3.—A violent outbreak of cholera is reported at Torredell Annunciation, near Naples, in consequence of which the religious festival has been prohibited by the town authorities.

EASTERN STATES.

Charleston, Sept. 3.—The general situation continues deplorable, but people are gaining courage. Nearly all continue to sleep out doors. A critical examination shows that all the building here are seriously injured.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco, Sept. 2.—The Democratic state convention endorses Cleveland's administration; recommends the free coinage of silver; demands the restoration of the wool tariff of 1867; favors the passage of the wine bills now before congress; approves of labor co-operative societies; demands the abrogation of the Burlingame Chinese treaty, and favors legislation providing for the deportation of all Chinese now in the United States. It expresses sympathy with the Irish people in their efforts for home rule; favors the equitable distribution of the waters of the state for irrigation purposes, while granting to the state the right to assume control of the waters under laws to be enacted for that purpose.

ARIZONA.

San Francisco, Sept. 2.—The Chronicle's Tombstone special says: "A rumor has reached here that the Mexican troops demanded of the American troops the release of Geronimo. The latter refused and a fight ensued, in which five Mexicans were killed and two Americans wounded, and during which Geronimo escaped."

A special to the call from Tombstone confirms the rumor that the Mexican troops demanded from the American troops the release of Geronimo, that on the refusal of the latter to accede to the request a fight ensued, and that while it was going on Geronimo managed to escape.

THE SOUTHERN EARTHQUAKE.

Extraordinary Experience of an Excursion Train.

A South Carolina dispatch says: The train at the time of the earthquake was running along at the usual speed, and when about a mile south of Jedburg it encountered a terrible experience. It was freighted with hundreds of excursionists returning from the mountains. They were all gay, happy and laughing, when all of a sudden, in the language of one of the excursionists, the train appeared to have left the track and was going up, up, up, into the air. This was the rising wave. Suddenly, it descended, and as it rapidly fell it was flung violently over to the east side, the car apparently leaning over at an angle of less than forty-five degrees. It then righted and was hurled with a roar as of artillery over to the west, and finally subsided on the track and took a plunge downward, evidently on the descending wave. The engineer put down the brakes tight, but so great was the original and added momentum that the train leaped ahead. It is said that the train actually galloped along the track, the front and rear trucks of the coaches rising and falling alternately. The utmost confusion prevailed, women and children shrieked with dismay, and the bravest hearts quailed in momentary expectation of a more terrible catastrophe.

The train was then taken back in the direction of Jedburg, and on the way back the work of the earthquake was terribly patent. The train had actually passed over one of those serpentine curves already described, and it is the simple truth to state that every soul on board was saved solely through the interposition of Divine Providence.

A remarkable fact was noted in Summerville in respect to the bulging of water from the interior of the earth. Nearly all the wells had been at low water. There was a sudden rise in all of these wells and the additional water was pure. Looking down into one of these wells the observer could, on the eve of any of the loud detonations, see the water rise up the walls of the well and after the shock again subside.

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The Pasteur System.

London, Aug. 26.—Mr. Charles Thompson Ritchie, president of the local government board, replying to an interrogatory in the house of commons this evening by Sir John Lubbock, unionist, stated that the committee appointed by the government to examine into the Pasteur method of inoculation for the prevention of rabies, was fully satisfied that the French savant's treatment for hydrophobia was effective.

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J. S. ANTONELLI,
Railroad Contractor,
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San Francisco, Aug 28, 1886. se4 3t

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(LIMITED.)

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THIS Company will be held on SATURDAY, the 11th September, 1886, at 8 p. m., at the Driard House.

By order of the Directors.

JNO. J. AUSTIN,
Secty and Treasurer.

Victoria Theatre Co.'s office,
September 3, 1886. se4td

NOTICE

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE Shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company, at the City of Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of OCTOBER next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for receiving the report of the Directors, transacting the business of the Company and electing the Directors thereof.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

Dated Victoria, 3rd September, 1886. se4

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ROBERT E. KNOWLES,
WM. RICHMOND.

Witness—A. J. Powderham. se3 6t

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Str Yosemite, Burrard Inlet

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PASSENGERS.

Per str YOSEMITE, fm New Westminster—G Ford, W Allen, Mrs Francis, Mrs Preston, D McKay, Col Houghton, Mrs Gautier, Miss Gautier, Brenton and wf, J G Tatlow, Earl Kingston, A Ferguson and others.

Per str R. P. RITHET, from Port Hammond—Mrs Sargison, Mrs Youmans, Mrs Turner, Miss McPhee, Dr and Mrs Bentley, Miss Woods, J J Smith, Woofcote, A C Webb, H Webb, Bigham, Haslett, Woods, Ryan, Jeffree.

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AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

W. R. CLARKE & CO. will sell at 12 o'clock, in front of salesrooms, Horses and Mules.

Personal.

J. A. McPhee, a native of Nova Scotia and a Free Mason, died at Seattle on Thursday.

Mr. E. G. Gooderham, manager of the Toronto Silver Plate company, is at the Driard.

The Right Hon. Lord Henry Charles George Gordon Lennox, brother of the Duke of Richmond, is dead, aged sixty-five years.

The Rev. Henry Ward Beecher has recovered from his illness.

Mr. Charles Crocker, of San Francisco, who is president of the Southern Pacific and vice-president of the Central Pacific railroads, is a passenger by the steamer Queen of the Pacific for this port. Mr. Crocker, who is interested in the Island railway, is said to be worth $50,000,000.

Mr. Reginald Nuttall is visiting the interior and may extend the trip to Winnipeg and Ottawa.

Mr. W. J. Buchanan, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, and Mr. E. S. Clouston, manager of the Montreal branch, have arrived in the city. It is understood they will arrange for the establishment of a branch at Vancouver.

Dr. Bentley and wife, of New Westminster, came down on the Rithet yesterday.

Col. Houghton, formerly D. A. G. of of this province, and at present D. A. G. of Manitoba, arrived by the overland train yesterday, and with Mrs. Houghton, is a guest at Fairview, residence of Mr. Robert Dunsmuir, M. P. P. The Colonel (who was one of the Batoche) is deservedly popular throughout this province and will be warmly welcomed by his many friends.

Earl Kingston and Mr. J. G. Tatlow arrived by the overland train yesterday.

At the Driard: Dr. Bentley and wife, New Westminster; Mrs. Wm. Stanley, Toronto; J. S. Gibson, H. C. Ward, ship Belvidere; Horace Thorne, W. C. Matthews, Toronto; J. S. Howell, Seattle.

Mr. Justice Walkem has been to Granite creek to revise the voters' list.

Mr. G. H. Burns, Bank B. N. A., has been to Vancouver to study the value of the locality for a branch.

Mr. Jessop goes to Saanich to-day to select exhibits of fowl, and will go to Cowichan and Salt Spring island in the beginning of the week.

Hon. Mr. Smithe left for Kootenay yesterday.

Senator Kaulbach, from Nova Scotia, arrived by the steamer Yosemite yesterday, and is at the Driard.

Convalescent.

Capt. Dodd, who is at present in the marine hospital is already convalescent and is able to be up and about the ward. The wounds he inflicted, which were not dangerous, are rapidly healing, and in a short time the scars they will leave will be the only effect remaining. As evidence that the captain takes a returning interest in himself, it may be mentioned that yesterday morning the steward of the hospital discovered him reading in *The Colonist* the account of the unfortunate affair, but seeing what he was doing, the steward at once removed the paper from his reach.

Coming to Victoria.

The Queen of the Pacific which left San Francisco yesterday has the following passengers on board for this port: H G. Playfair, C B. Tenniel, Mrs. Capt. White, Mrs. DeWiederhold and daughter, Chas. Wallace, John Jennings, Miss Jennings, Mrs. Atkinson and child, Mrs. O'Brien, R. P. Simonds, J Stewart, G W Teele, A. L. Teele, J. J. Donovan and wife, Miss May Stutz, W. Walker and wife, Miss Hibben, H. Newstadter and wife, Mrs. J. Clements, son and child, L. Blank, Chas. Crocker, Mrs. Andrews.

A Hint for the Water Committee.

The following paragraph is going the rounds: "Carp is used by Hartford, Conn., to keep the city reservoirs clean. The fish have completely cleaned one reservoir of vegetable growth, and are now at work upon a second." The idea is submitted to Councillor Smith, chairman of the water committee. Stock Elk Lake with carp, Mr Smith!

GAME LAW INFRACTION.—Yesterday, Supt. Bloomfield arrested the Mongolian master of a Chinese schooner hailing from this port who was in the act of landing a cargo of nearly 800 deer skins. The Chinese captain will have a chance of explaining in the police court this morning how it is that he so quickly became possessor of so large a number of deer skins, the flesh upon which was still red. The Chinese must (not) go shooting out of season.

INLAND SENTINEL.—Mr. M. Hagan has disposed of his Inland Sentinel to McCutcheon & Co. Mr. Hagan will seek repose from his arduous labors on a farm.

THE TRIUMPH'S BAND will play in front of Government buildings at 3:30 this afternoon, weather permitting.

THREE LITTLE MAIDS FOR SALE AT T. N. & CO'S, PRICE 25 CENTS.

THE ROYAL FOLIO OF MUSIC just published, and for sale at WAITT'S music store, Fort street. dw

CHINATOWN RAIDED LAST NIGHT.

Flagrant Instance of Mongolian Slavery in Victoria.

Brutal Ill-Treatment of a Mere Child Detained for Purposes of Prostitution.

Last night at 8 o'clock, acting under a search warrant, Superintendent Bloomfield, assisted by Officers Sheppard, Welch and Lindsay, and accompanied by a *Colonist* reporter, made a

RAID ON A HOUSE OF PROSTITUTION

in Chinatown and succeeded in making two important arrests. Information had been received from private sources that a young child was being kept by Tai Ho, the keeper of the house in question, for immoral purposes, and that she was being cruelly ill used. An attempt was made by the police on Wednesday night last to visit the house in question, but owing to some doubt as to the exact locality it failed. On that occasion, however, a house in close proximity to the one raided last night was entered and some five women were seen. One of these was a child of

APPARENTLY TWELVE YEARS OF AGE,

quite good looking, and with the blush of innocence still fresh on her cheeks. Supt. Bloomfield, anxious to excite no alarm, very wisely abstained from making an investigation into the character of the house or into the particulars of the child's being there. On entering the habitation of Tai Ho last night, situated far back in a dark alley on the north side of Fisgard street, between Government and Store streets, the sight of a young child probably twelve years of age was presented, sitting by the flickering light of a lamp in a

DINGY, FORBIDDING LOOKING ROOM,

alone and lonely. She could not "sabee" and fortunately a neighbor, Ah Tie, or as he is called in this country, Ah Luie, dropped in just to see what was in the wind. He could speak good English and gave much valuable information with reference to the child. From this young girl, whose name is Gook Lang, he learned that Tai Ho had gone out at 7 o'clock and would be back at 9. He stated that the child was being abused and maltreated by the woman who kept her, and in evidence thereof pointed to her forehead bearing the

CRUEL MARKS OF THE VIXEN'S FURY.

Her right arm was exposed and it was discovered that it had been broken below the wrist, and had knitted together again. The left arm was

ONE MASS OF SORES AND BRUISES

which Ah Tie said had been inflicted by Tai Ho. He lives only a few yards away and continually heard her being abused and beaten. He said that Tai Ho "too much foolee" with Gook Lang, and sometimes beat her three or four times a day, at the same time cursing and reviling her. In answer to a question put by Ah Tie, she said the wounds seen had been inflicted by the virago with a stick, broomstick or some such heavy implement. A broken broomstick standing in a corner spoke eloquently of the uses to which it had recently been put. Ah Tie also said that the child had been

BOUGHT IN CHINA TWO YEARS AGO,

for $300: and was a slave. This poor little piece of humanity was under the British flag and in a Christian country

A SERF AND A SLAVE,

catering to the basest and lowest passions of man's nature. The child was not being sufficiently fed. Ah Tie said he knew it to be so, and voluntarily stated that she only received sufficient nutriment to support life. This fact was verified later on. After affording the officers all the information in his power, Ah Tie retired to his room near by, saying that he had to go to work early next morning. He was evidently a hard-working fellow, and honest.

Soon another Chinaman, with grinning visage peeped in, and being invited to take a seat, catching sight of Supt. Bloomfield, hastened to do so. His statement was a corroboration of Ah Tie's, and told the sad tale of slavery, and worse—if that were possible—slavery indeed in body and soul. The old woman, he said, was "bad," that none of the other residents of Chinatown would visit her, and that she had no "cousins" in the place, this word being synonymous with friends. The child was obliged to rise at 5 o'clock every morning and attend to the household duties with her

LITTLE ARMS BLEEDING AND SORE,

while Tai Ho laid in bed, announcing her rising by a string of oaths, by throwing some missile at the little one, or by soundly thrashing her. To tell all would be to shock the sensibilities of our readers. The sight of that little child sitting all alone in that miserable den,

SURROUNDED BY THE VILEST OF MEN,

and lorded over by the most brutal of women, with the evidences of the cruelties perpetrated upon her so evident, was a sight to touch the heart of a man of stone. And then fathers of innocent children, think of the vile uses to which this little one was being put, this little one who never knew a mother's smile or a father's blessing. There is in the slums of Chinatown to-day ample field for the energies of philanthropic men and women. Shortly after the departure of our last visitor Tai Ho entered herself. Surprised, evidently, to find so many guests, shall we say, "unwelcome guests," before her, she at once

DEMANDED IN STENTORIAN TONES

to know the object of the visit, and requested to see the "city warrant." She was a good woman, she said, and the child was her own, and those bruises and sores were the result of her falling while she was sick. She was a sickly child anyway. She at once seemed to divine, when she recognized the officers, that she would be obliged to leave her den for the night, and began wrapping the child in warm clothes because, she said she was "cold." Then she fondled and caressed the little one most affectionately, speaking all the time, threatening the unfortunate child undoubtedly. The inner room was searched, and beneath the pillow of the bed

A HUGE DIRK WAS DISCOVERED,

ready at hand to cut and slay should the occasion arise. This was taken possession of as well as several other articles, including some men's clothing, possibly stolen, a chest, too, the key of which could not be found, and which Tai Ho claimed belonged to a man absent in New Westminster, was taken away, and may possibly further show the guilt of the woman.

While searching the house a knock was heard at the door and a Chinaman entered. He received instructions from the woman and proceeded to depart. He was, however, detained, and though he raised every possible excuse to get away, stating that he had to go to New Westminster and showing his ticket, and when that failed producing a theatre ticket and insisting that he was obliged to go there, though no theatre was running, he was compelled to await the officer's convenience. Had that man escaped the succeeding work would not have been so easy. The highbinders and roughs, assisted by the woman's "friend," a rich merchant, might have, and undoubtedly would have, caused trouble.

The woman and child were driven to the gaol, and separated, though the former prayed to have the child with her, of course with the object of informing her as to her line of conduct on the morrow. The little one, urged on by the woman, cried vehemently, but upon the disappearance of Tai Ho in a "dungeon cell" was soon pacified. She

ASKED FOR BREAD,

and Supt. Bloomfield promptly had a lunch with warm tea sent in. To see that little child ravenously devouring the dainties set before her was a sight to behold; perhaps she had only had a crust of bread during the livelong day. Her features relaxed into a smile, and if she had any conception of Santa Claus, which is quite unlikely, she must have come to the conclusion that she had seen him face to face for the first time. The meal eaten, the

TIRED LITTLE EYES CLOSED,

and she was soon in dreamland.

When she awakes this morning it will be not to receive her accustomed cuffings and kickings but to be told that she will, in the event of her release from her hard-hearted mistress being secured, be taken in care by a number of ladies and gentlemen, who will train her in the way she should go, and teach her something of the sunny side of life. This may be only one of many cases existing in Chinatown to-day, and steps cannot be taken too soon to rescue the fatherless and motherless children from the grasp of the she devils who are fattening on their enforced labors.

The case will come up in the police court this morning.

Cariboo Quartz, Etc.

From Mr. Mason, M. P. P., we learn that the presence of Mr. Koch, a California expert, at Cariboo, has revived the sleeping interest in the quartz resources of that section. Mr. Koch has visited the old Cariboo location on the Bonanza lode, and pronounces it very rich in gold sulphurets. The location was recently acquired by the B. C. Milling and Mining Co., who have requested Mr. Koch to submit a report upon the property. Eight years ago the Cariboo Quartz Co. sunk on the ledge and at a depth of 108 feet the vein was found to be 23 feet in width. Mr Koch is of opinion that the whole country is very rich in goldbearing quartz. He has taken up the old Proserpine claim and calls it "The Senator Jones," it being his intention to enlist that gentleman and his friends in the mine. Mr. P. Dunlevy is having a site for a quartz mill cleared at Island Mountain on Mosquito creek, where there is a rich ledge. He has men also engaged in taking out rock. Hydraulic mining has been dull during the past summer owing to the drought; but a rich harvest is anticipated when the fall rains begin.

Marine.

Ship City of Aberdeen left the roads for the inlet in tow of the steamer Alexander yesterday afternoon.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz leaves for the north to-day.

Steamship Mexico will leave the outer wharf this afternoon for San Francisco.

Sealing schooners Active, Black Diamond and Pathfinder were reported off the mouth of the harbor last night. The arrival of the schooner Black Diamond makes a complete return of the sealing fleet of Gutmann & Frank.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 3. —Arrived—Bark Spartan, Seattle.

Sailed—Bark O. O. Whitmore, Port Townsend; schooner Dora Bluhm, Port Townsend; steamer Queen of the Pacific, Victoria.

B'NAI B'RITH. — Mr. Louis Blank, grand secretary of District Lodge, No. 4, Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, will arrive in this city by the steamer Queen of the Pacific. While here he will institute Victoria Lodge, which will, it is said, be the first lodge of the order established on British soil. The membership is confined to Hebrews and has a large connection throughout the United States. The installations in this city will probably take place on Monday or Tuesday evening.

MISSING.—The Seattle Times says: G. W. Jones, who has been agent for the Columbia River Paper company in Seattle for the past year, with his business office in the Gilmore block, has not been seen or heard from since Aug. 2nd. Up to that time he was attending to business as usual, but suddenly disappeared and all efforts to find him have been of no avail.

A LONG WAY ROUND.—A carload of shingles arrived here yesterday from Seattle. It will be forwarded to Port Moody, whence it will be railed over the Canadian Pacific to Chicago at the rate of 60 cents per 1000 shingles. Will they pay? Can the roof of the company be kept on if shingles are carried at a rate so low?

EXPERT.—Mr. Kraib, a mining expert, who visited the interior two months ago and afterwards went to California has returned. He says that this country is very rich in minerals and he intends to locate permanently here. At present he is examining a ledge of quartz 14 miles from this city and will report as to its value.

A R. C. BISHOP COMING WEST.—Bishop McIntyre, of Prince Edward Island, accompanied by Rev. Fathers Jos. Æneas McDonald, Gregory McDonald, Allan McDonald and D. J. Gillies, started on Monday on a trip over the Canadian Pacific to Victoria.

BOOMS.—Mr. John Goudy and others from Mr. David Anderson's camp at Otter Point have within the past few days brought in two large booms of logs to Sayward's mills. This camp is being run very successfully.

FIRST GROUSE. — Beauchamp, Yates street, received the first grouse yesterday morning. He will receive a large number of grouse and deer by the Amelia to-day.*

SALE OF HORSES.—Capt. Clarke will sell at his salesroom on Yates street at 12 o'clock to-day nine good horses and a span of mules. These animals are in good condition and bargains may be secured.

SIR JOHN AT OTTAWA.—Sir John and party arrived early on the 28th ult. He was highly delighted with his trip, and not withstanding the fatigue, looked much invigorated.

CANVAS BOARDS at Hibben & Co. *

"THE CLARENCE."

VICTORIA'S NEW HOTEL.

A Spacious and Handsome Building.

It is the intention of the proprietor, our enterprising citizen Mr. F. G. Richards, Jr., to throw open to the public this evening the commodious and handsomely furnished "Clarence" hotel situate on the Stelly block, corner of Douglas and Yates street. This block, whose imposing appearance during construction attracted the notice of all, counts upon its first floor a number of stores, but with this exception is entirely utilized by the hotel. Exactly upon the junction of the two streets is the bar-room, 25 feet by 40 feet, whose interior contains all the usual fittings including a handsomely inlaid counter of oak, Spanish cedar, maple, ash, and mahogany. This, as well as the bar fixtures, was manufactured by Brunswick & Balke, of Chicago, two of whose tables—a billiard and a pool—are also present. Leading from this the reading room and office which also communicates with a door on Douglas street and with the grand entrance to the hotel which opens on the same street. Up the main stair case (by which stands the elevator shaft)

ON THE SECOND FLOOR

one comes to the public dining-room (overlooking Douglas street) 26 feet by 40 feet. Here also is an elegantly furnished private dining-room, a private parlor, nine bed-rooms, wash-room, office, and the kitchen—with a range manufactured by the Albion Iron Works, and with a capacity for cooking for 300 people—and private parlor and store rooms, etc. The size of the bedrooms ranges generally about 13 feet by 13 feet. In some of the rooms the furniture is of ash, but in the majority of cases is of walnut with marble top.

THIRD FLOOR.

On the third floor are three suites of rooms; also eighteen bedrooms and a ladies' parlor.

FOURTH FLOOR.

The fourth floor is comprised of twenty-six bedrooms. On each floor are placed two bathrooms, and water closets; and in every room in the house is an electric bell communicating with the office.

The architect of the building was the late Mr. J. P. Donovan, whose plans and superintendence of the work were taken in hand and have just been brought to a successful completion by Mr. J. Coughlan. The carpentering work was performed by Smith & Clarke, the furniture was purchased from the London Manufacturing Company, of London, Ont., and the upholstering was done by Anderson & Anderson and J. Weiler.

No pains or expense have been spared by Mr. F. G. Richards junr. to make The Clarence what it is—a commodious, safe (there is a fire-proof roof, hose, buckets, etc), elegantly furnished and comfortable first-class hotel.

The Interior.

(Sentinel.)

A Nicola man wants to know if there is any good reason why Nicola lake should not get part of the whitefish distribution about to be given by the government?

Pringle & Hamill have completed the government bridge near Spallumcheen landing. The length is eleven spans (one a 50 ft. span across the channel), in all 380 odd feet.

Chas. Kent is under examination on a charge of having murdered young Gillis.

Short's little steamer on Okanagan lake has been burned. Loss complete.

VANCOUVER.

Cheques on the Vancouver branch of the Bank of British Columbia are already circulating in the city. The form is of pinkish tint, and lithographed in neat style....Mr. Frank Baker was up the north arm of the inlet hunting deer with his pack of hounds. The dogs chased a fine buck into the water, and while it was swimming across the inlet it was secured by one of the Triumph's boats before Mr. Baker could get up to it.

ALL THE DIFFERENCE.—In our report of the finding, by Mr. Leggatt, of a dead Chinaman at Mount Tolmie, we inadvertently named the date of the discovery as Tuesday instead of Wednesday. As Mr. Leggatt was out grouse-shooting at the time, and Tuesday was the 31st August, it is only right that the correction should be made.

BOYS' CENTRAL SCHOOL.—The number of pupils enrolled for August was as follows:—First division, 43; second division, 48; third division, 70; fourth division, 77; fifth division, 68; sixth division, 54; seventh division, 83; total, 443. The highest number present during any session was 893.

VANCOUVER.—The new bank is doing a rushing business....The Mexico landed the San Francisco freight at Port Moody ....A rumor that the syndicate had settled with the private lot owners is discredited.—*News.*

FAST STEAMERS.—It is said that the Canadian Pacific are negotiating for the purchase of eight fast steamships to secure the transatlantic mail contract. It is also said the Allans will add fast steamers to their fleet to retain the contract if possible.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Triumph returned to Esquimalt at 5 o'clock last evening—all on board well. After the departure of the Triumph, early next month, H. M. S. Cormorant (now on the way up the coast) will remain on the station as guardship.

OVERLAND MONTHLY.—This admirable magazine has come to hand, and is replete with matter as well interesting and instructive. The Overland is forging ahead and is rapidly taking its place beside the great eastern monthlies.

TEMPERANCE.—To-night at 8 o'clock, at the Blue Ribbon hall, Pandora street, Mrs. Youmans will give one of her thrilling lectures on temperance. All are invited.

CRICKET.—The under thirty and over thirty cricket teams will play a return match this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Beacon Hill.

INDIAN AGENT.—The appointment of Mr. R. H. Pidcock as Indian agent on the northwest coast is in every way a good one.

BASEBALL.—W. A. Dickey, the champion pitcher of the Seattle Reds, has gone east to take a position in a banking house.

THE STEAMER R. P. Rithet discharged 3,500 cases of salmon at the outer wharf yesterday for shipment east.

CALL and have a talk with FISHER, the ARCHITECT, before you order your plans.*

REVEALING THE FUTURE.

Mr. Winterbottom's Interview with a Planet Reader.

A young man whose present circumstances are such as to convince him that they will have to radically change if he is to enjoy prosperity in the near future, and wishing to be prepared for any sudden transition that might be awaiting him called yesterday upon a planet writer who is doing a land-office business in this city. Upon arriving, in response to a light and rather nervous tap, he was

USHERED INTO A DARKENED ROOM

with a certain solemnity. Worked up to a state in which he was ready to believe anything it is small wonder that, during the few moments in which he was unable to discern anything, his imagination fully supplied him with conjectures. As his gaze became accustomed to the comparative gloom he noticed, uneasily, a number of skulls placed on the mantelshelf, on a bookcase, and in various parts of the room, where, also, appeared musty-looking charts, an orrery, a collection of old teeth that looked as though a raid had been made on the business accumulations of an industrious dentist, and various other dainties in the shape of dried frogs, a small alligator's skin, etc. These the visitor noticed more intuitively than particularly, for his attention was quickly concentrated upon

THE FIGURE OF A WOMAN

seated at a table. She was erect of mien, and, apparently unheeding the black cat upon her shoulder, looked straight before her, which happened to be at the visitor.

"Aha!" she said at last in a sepulchral tone; "and so you've come!"

It never entered the mind of the young man that this was a self-evident fact; and, attributing the knowledge to her supernatural powers, he stammered out, "Yes; —I—."

"Enough," said madam, "I know already," and relapsed into silence. After a minute's pause, during which the young man's uneasiness increased, the planet-reader resumed: "I know your name; but just to see if you are telling the truth let me hear you utter it. It is——

"William Winterbottom," almost gasped the young man, astounded at her wonderful prescience. "You have told truly," said the seeress, who could see by his face that he had; "and now tell me the hour and day on which you were born. One dollar, please!" The young man having complied with this dual request, the seeress knocked the cat from her shoulder, looked at a chart, made several mystic signs in the air, snapped her fingers (not defiantly)—pirouetted three times on her right heel—stopped directly in front of the amazed Winterbottom, and said: "You came to see me about getting married!"

Pausing a moment to regain his self-possession, Mr. Winterbottom answered, "I think there is some mistake. I came to see if the Cormorant street ghost was any relation to a maiden aunt of mine named Greenway, who ran away with a bootblack in Pennsylvania several years ago, and has not since——."

"Silence, scoffer!" responded the planet reader, who, after having made a mistake could stick to it as well as anybody; "you are going to get married to a tall girl with red hair——."

"No! no!" protested Winterbottom.

"——with turned-up nose and freckled face," proceeded the seeress with deliberate cruelty; and she's going to boss you too! The fates decreed it a thousand years ago."

Desperate at the thought of such a fearful fate William Winterbottom rose to his feet. "They did, did they?" he queried; "Well, let me tell you I regard it as a horrible conspiracy on their part and look upon you as concerned in it. Now let me tell you *your* fortune. If you are in Victoria twenty-four hours from now it will be your fate to appear in the police court. You are exactly described in the vagrancy act, and it is already decreed that you shall be punished under it. And I don't charge you a cent for the information, either."

And with a "Ha! ha!" fully as sepulchral as that with which he had been greeted by the planet reader, Mr. Winterbottom departed.

RUINED.

By an Unfortunate Investment in British Columbia.

The London Echo of the 30th July says: "At the Burnley bankruptcy court yesterday, Benjamin Haigh, of 62, Westgate, Burnley, described as a weaver, came up for examination. He stated that he formerly carried on the business of a woolen dealer in High street, Manchester, but retired on a competency about twenty years ago. Seven or eight years since his two sons established a fishery business in British Columbia, and he had lent them £7,000 receiving no security beyond their assurance. Without his consent they used his name in connection with the firm, which was styled "B. Haigh & Sons," and witness not knowing the consequences did not object. When he lent the money he was to receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent., but he had not received a penny out of the concern either as principal or interest. The business failed a year or two ago, and the debtor was then sued by Mr. Ward, of British Columbia, for £5,000 on account of the concern. He was not in a position to defend the action and allowed judgment to go by default. He had no private debts, and his insolvency was entirely due to the sum he advanced to his two sons. The loan to his sons comprised nearly the whole of the money he had accumulated in business, and he was now being maintained by one of his sons at Burnley. All the assets in America had been seized. The public examination was then closed. Liabilities stated at £4,956 19s. 5d.; assets. £15, 12s.

DELAYED.—Word arrived over the wires last night that the steamer R. P. Rithet was waiting at Ladner's Landing for the sea to subside before crossing the Gulf. She will probably arrive early this morning.

AQUATIC.—It is said that the sculling race between Paine and Bush will take place about the 20th of October.

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One of the best and cheapest devices for plowing to prevent barking trees in orchards, is a short whiffletree with the hooks for the traces on the back, and so fixed that the traces have to be placed over the end. Thus, when the whiffletree rubs against the tree, the latter is protected by the leather. There was once a patent on this device, but it has long since expired.—*Colman's Rural World.*

What Some People Say.

That a singular custom obtains to this day on some of the towns on the lower Rhine, namely, that of "selling" maidens at public auction. For nearly four centuries, on Easter Monday—auction day—the town-crier or clerk of St. Goar called all the young people together, and to the highest bidder sold the privilege of dancing with the chosen girl, and her only, during the entire year. The fees flowed into the public poor-box.

That what is a Christadelphian? Mr. Ansell, late manager of the army and navy stores, in Victoria street, London, loved Miss Kate Bonser, of Kimbolton. They became engaged, but the match was broken off by Mr. Ansell, for Miss Bonser was a spiritualist, and he held that no true affection could exist between a Christadelphian and a spiritualist. A jury unable to understand this incompatibility awarded Miss Bonser £50 damages.

That ladies or gentlemen purchasing boots at the B. C. Boot and Shoe Store can have the buttons replaced firmly by our new machine, without charge. One second required only for each button.

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That a New Hampshire chap who wanted to break off the engagement of another fellow of the girl he loved didn't try to persuade either that the other was false, but just contrived to get them both to join the same church choir, and in less than a week they didn't speak.

That there was arrested at Albion, N. Y., Friday, Jacob Jinrich, captain and owner of the canal boat William McHenry, on a warrant charging him with libel. He was brought back to Buffalo, taken before the police court, and gave bail in the sum of $500 to appear in twenty-five days. The charge is made by William McHenry, a grocer on Niagara street, after whom Jinrich's boat was named. He alleges that the captain had a new sign made which he affixed on the boat, having the picture of a hog between the two portions of the name, so that it appeared thus: "William (hog) McHenry." Captain Jinrich started on his eastward trip with this peculiar sign conspicuous on his boat. It is said the captain and Mr. McHenry had some difficulty over a money transaction, and the former took this singular way of getting even.

That T. J. Jones, L. D. S., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Fort and Government streets. Telephone call 507. 1m

That a stranger meeting a boy in the streets of Boston, roughly accosted him with: "Here, I want to go to the Tremont house." "Well," was the deliberate reply, "you can go if you won't be gone long."

That "I see the scoundrel in your face," exclaimed the judge to the prisoner. "I reckon, jedge," was the response, "that ere's a personal reflection, ain't it?"

That fashion demands that when young people marry they shall go away on a wedding trip which means no small outlay of cash. A couple recently married felt this pressure, but conceived a scheme by which to thwart the process of custom and save the item of expense. They went to the station accompanied by a party of friends, and boarded a train, with good-byes said all round, the relatives extending the regulation wishes for a safe and happy tour. Oh, no! They walked through the car and out at the end opposite that at which they had entered and, getting off at the opposite side, quickly skipped round to their home, where they remained in seclusion for a week, while friends thought them away enjoying the honeymoon.

Eastern Canada Mail.

(Per Canadian Pacific Railway.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 28—Hon. Messrs. Blake and Mowat addressed a public meeting here on Monday.

MONTREAL, Aug. 25.—W. H. Parsons who went at the instance of the creditors of L. Isaacs to investigate the latter's connection with the firm of Gardner, of Brantford, says that Gardner has been absolutely ruined by Isaacs, and that his estate won't pay a cent on the dollar, and that Gardner's only hope is that he may succeed in contesting his liability on $20,000 of accommodation notes signed by Mrs. Gardner and given to Isaacs, on the ground that the power of attorney his wife held only applied to notes given to the Bank of Commerce. The only liability Gardner has, outside of the Isaac notes, is $5,000.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 20.—A discovery was made in a deserted building in Fort Rouge about 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, which to all appearances indicates that pilfering of letters to a serious extent has been going on at the Winnipeg post-office. A bulky satchel on being opened was found to contain between four and five hundred letters addressed to as many different parties. They had all been opened, and many were subsequently found to contain cheques, money orders, etc. The stamps on a great number were not cancelled, showing that they must have been dropped into some post-office and abstracted before being cancelled, whilst other letters were from other places all over the world.

MONTREAL, Aug. 30.—A telegram from Rimouski says Sir Charles Tupper arrived Saturday by the Parisian.

Michael Davitt has accepted an invitation to visit Montreal at the instance of the Montreal branch of the national league.

GLENCOE, Aug. 30.—The most severe storm experienced here for years occurred Saturday. A barn and outbuildings were struck with lightning and burned, entailing a loss of $1500. The smokestack of Gowan's factory was blown down, and the roofs of houses blown off, and fences and grain suffered severely.

OTTAWA, Aug. 27.—An Ottawa man is reported to have given the provincial license authorities information of a large number of hotels in Prescott and Brockville in both of which places the Scott act is in force, where liquor is openly sold over the counter, and it is expected the accused parties will very shortly be brought into court.

MONTREAL, Aug. 30.—O. J. Devlin, M.P., has entered a $25,000 action for damages against the city. On his road home Devlin overtook a policeman acting improperly with a woman, and reprimanded him. The policeman arrested Devlin and he remained locked up for two hours before being released.

In the customs bribery case J. V. Walters was committed for trial at the court of Queen's bench.

TORONTO, Aug. 30.—A conservatoire of music, on the principle of those in New York and Boston, will be established here shortly. Twenty thousand dollars in subscriptions have already been obtained.

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A CORONA BELLE ELOPES WITH HER MUCH ABUSED LOVER.

New York Journal.

The pretty village of Corona, Long Island was agog with gossip and excitement yesterday over a sensational elopement, which followed as the result of an assault case in which a handful of red pepper played a prominent part.

"The prettiest girl in Corona" was the title which eighteen-year-old Catharine Spahr has borne for a year or two and the young lady really deserves it. She is of somewhat slender form, her eyes are as black as eyes can be, and a wealth of jet hair hangs far below her waist.

Catharine's father is the proprietor of the leading hotel in Corona, and is a stout and powerful man. Her mother is a handsome lady, who has a great deal of will power, as late events have conclusively proved. Such a pretty girl as Miss Spahr could not live in a little village like Corona without having many admirers, and, of course she had them.

But of late her several suitors, with the exception of one have been obliged to give up the contest for her hand. The lucky one was Casper Conklin, a good-looking young man who is a carpenter and a member of the firm of Terhune& Conklin, who are building several residences in the village. For some time the young couple could be seen each evening strolling along the grass-bordered, dimly-lighted streets, and everbody put it down as a real love match.

The parents of the fair Catharine, however, for some reason developed an antipathy for Mr. Conklin, and finally ordered the girl not to associate further with him. But this could not dampen the ardor of the manly sweetheart, and he managed to meet his affianced on several occasions.

On Monday evening Mr. Conklin dropped into Spahr's hotel and got into conversation with Mr. Spahr. The latter warned him not to communicate with Miss Saphr, but Conklin refused to obey the order. Then the boniface got enraged and rushed at the young man. There was a lively rough-und-tumble fight for a few minutes, and finally Conklin got his prospective father-in-law in a corner and held him firmly to prevent his struggles.

At this moment Mrs. Spahr dashed into the room and threw a handful of red pepper into Conklin's eyes. Blinded by pain the young man endeavored to grope his way to the door, while the infuriated couple pounded him over the head with their fists. Conklin finally managed to escape their clutches and reached his boarding-house.

When Miss Spahr heard of the assault upon her sweeheart she declared that he was dearer to her than ever, and declared that nothing would ever separate them. She hastened over to Conklin and had a talk with him, the result of which was seen later on. Miss Spahr was locked inher room that night by her mother, who evidently expected something to happen. At midnight a low whistle was heard beneath her window, and upon raising it she beheld her sweetheart.

It was the work of only a few minutes to knot sheets into a rope strong enough to bear her weight. Standing upon the window sill Miss Spahr softly grasped the sheets and slid to the ground, carrying one or two of her best dresses in her arms. She was embraced by the somewhat disfigured Mr. Conklin and taken to the house of a friend, where she still remains, the marriage being put off for a day or two to enable Mr. Conklin's sister to arrive at Corona.

Mr. and Mrs. Spahr were enraged when they discovered their daughter's flight, and their anger has not decreased when a warrant was served upon Mrs Spahr, charging her with assault and battery upon Mr. Conklin.

The case was called before Justice McKenna at Newton yesterday, but Mrs. Spahr demanded a trial by jury and the case was postponed until August the 30th.

A reporter saw Miss Spahr yesterday. She was in good humor and evidently happy.

"I am to be married in a day or two," said the pretty girl. "Of course pa and ma will object, but I am of age and know my own business best. Caspar is just the dearest fellow in the world, and I could never be happy without him."

Mr. Terhune, Conklin's partner, said that the wedding would be a quiet affair, and added that Mr. Conklin had gone to New York to procure his wedding suit.

"The old folks will come around in time," said Mr. Terhune," and the assault case will probably besettled quietly."

The Corona neighbors talk of giving the young couple a brass band serenade on their wedding night.

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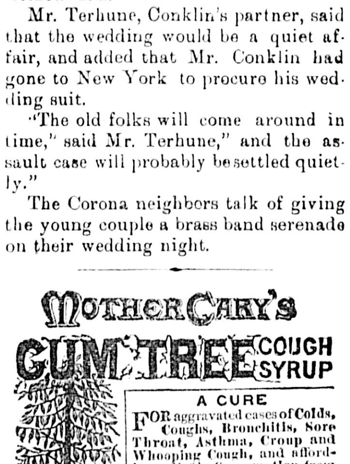

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NOTICE.

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WILL BE HOLDEN AT THE UNDERMENTIONED places and times, viz:—

At LILLOOET..........On 4th June next

At CLINTON..........On 17th June next.

At SODA CREEK..........On 30th June next

At QUESNELLEMOUTH..........On 3rd July next.

At RICHFIELD..........On 8th July next.

By Command,

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office
May 22nd, 1886. my23

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JOHN GRAHAM,
Asst. Receiver General.

VICTORIA, Aug. 7th, 1886.
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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

WHEREAS, PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the estate of William Turgoose, in a cause, Sadler and Turgoose against Sandover, the creditors of the said William Turgoose were required to send in their claims to the Registrar of this Honorable Court on or before the 15th day of June last past: And whereas, in the opinion of this Court, it is desirable that further time should be given for a final adjudication upon claims against the said estate, therefore, pursuant to a further order in the matter of the said estate and in the said action, the creditors (who have not already filed their claims) of William Turgoose, late of South Saanich, who died on the 22nd day of January, 1885, are, on or before the 20th day of September, 1886, to send by post, prepaid, to Charles Wilson, the Solicitor for the Plaintiffs, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claim, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of this Honorable Court, at his office, James Bay, Victoria, on Monday, the 27th day of September, 1886, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated the 20th day of August, 1886.

JAMES CHARLES PREVOST,
Registrar Supreme Court of British Columbia.
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ARCHITECT,

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TABLE

SHOWING THE DATES AND PLACES OF Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the year 1886.

SPRING ASSIZES.

(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria	Monday	3rd May
Nanaimo	Tuesday	1st June

(ON MAINLAND.)

New Westminster	Wednesday	5th May
Yale	Wednesday	26th May
Kamloops	Monday	7th June
Clinton	Monday	14th June

FALL ASSIZES,

(ON MAINLAND.)

Richfield	Monday	13th September
Clinton	Wednesday	29th September
Kamloops	Monday	4th October
Lytton	Monday	11th October
Yale	Friday	15th October
New Westminster	Wednesday	10th November

(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria	Monday	22nd November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	7th December

By Command.

JNO ROBSON,
ap9td Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE.

BRIDGE CLOSED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SOOKE RIVER BRIDGE has been CLOSED and will not be open for traffic until further notice.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 23rd Aug. 1886. au24dw

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THAT WE SHALL APPLY TO THE LICENSING Court on the 15th September, 1886, for the privilege of selling wines and liquors by retail under our present license, in the building known as the Poodle Dog Saloon, Yates street, Victoria; or, in the alternative, for a license to sell wines and liquors by retail in the said building known as the Poodle Dog Saloon, Yates street, Victoria.

Dated 30th August, 1886.

se1 2w HAMM & MARBOEUF.

NOTICE

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVE PURCHASED the interest of Sing Lee and Huen Con in the market garden carried on under the name of Tung Wo Yuen, at Ross Bay. All accounts contracted on and after the 1st September next will be paid by the undersigned, to whom all amounts due the firm must be paid.

ENG RUM,
LAU HOO.

Victoria, Aug. 24th, 1886. au25

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between us, the undersigned, under the name of "The Union Truck and Dray Company," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to William Croft, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said William Croft, by whom the same will be settled

Dated at Victoria, this 31st day of July, A.D. 1886.

Witness D. M. Eberts.

WM. CROFT,
au1 1w W. BUCKETT.

NOTICE—PROMISSORY NOTE.

PERSONS ARE CAUTIONED AGAINST DISCOUNTING a note dated 11th August, 1886, payable in three months at the office of Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria, in favor of one — Dixon for $75, and signed J. W. Rowland and E. Rowland, obtained by misrepresentation and value for the the same not received. J. W. ROWLAND.

Victoria, 16th Aug, 1886. au17 1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between J. S. Antonelle and M. Janse has been dissolved.

Dated June 28, 1886 J. S. ANTONELLE,
jy6 Railroad Contractor.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE UNDERSIGNED IS Trustee under an Assignment in Trust for the creditors of all the effects of John Austin and Catherine Austin. Creditors are requested to send in their accounts, sworn to, at once.

Dated at Granite City, Aug. 2nd, 1886.

au10dw1m DUNCAN A. McDONALD.

NOTICE.

ON OR ABOUT AUGUST 15TH I WILL RESUME giving music lessons During my absence all orders may be left at C. A. LOMBARD & CO.'S Music Store, Government street.

jy27td E. PFERDNER.

NOTICE.

HAVING RETIRED FROM BUSINESS, ALL parties indebted to me will please call at the store, Fort street, and settle their accounts with me before the 1st proximo. All accounts outstanding after that date will be placed in the hands of a collector. jy20 1w JAS. FLETT.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO APPLY to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred acres of land, more or less, situated on Moresby Island, Cowichan District, being the south-eastern portion of said island. W. A. HOLLINS.

Victoria, 1st July, 1886. je26 2m

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE THAT H. N. COURSIER AND A. G. JOHNSTON, carrying on business at Granite Creek, under the name of Coursier & Johnston, have this day made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors to Wm Heathorn and J. L. Beckwith, of Victoria, to whom all accounts duly verified must be sent in.

Dated 9th August, 1886.

THORNTON FELL,
au10dw1m Solicitor for the Assignees.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED will not be responsible for any debt incurred by any person assuming to act for him, unless specially authorized (by writing signed by him) to incur the same.

A. ONDERDONK,
Yale, B.C

June 4th 1885. je5tf

NOTICE—PROMISSORY NOTE.

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Victoria, 16th Aug., 1886. au17 1m

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN WHITFIELD OF NANAIMO.

A FURTHER DIVIDEND OF THIRTY CENTS on the dollar has been declared and will be payable at the office of the undersigned on and after August 1st.

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